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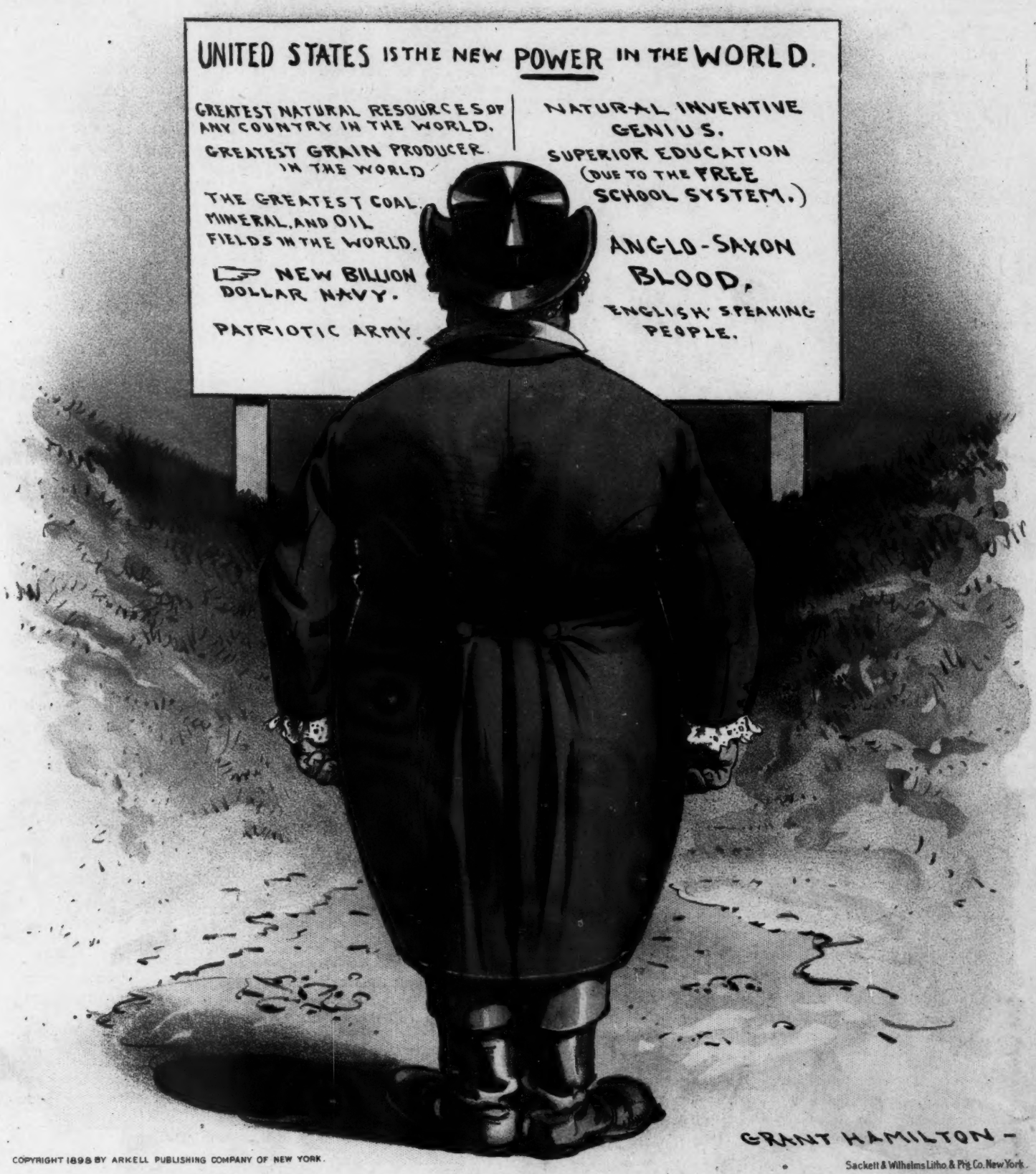

THE RED COAT COVERS A MULTITUDE OF TROUBLES.

Some of the reasons why John Bull wants an alliance with Uncle Sam are plainly shown on the bulletin-board, but lift up his coat-tails and see the others.

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SPANISH MOTTO—He who sneaks and runs away will live to fight another day.

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TO LADIES who look under the bed—If you catch him, mark you! he's a Spanish spy.

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THE ALLIANCE by Joseph Chamberlain with an American lady was a good precedent, but nations are somewhat larger than individuals.

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"THIS," says Mrs. Lease, "is the time for silent thought." Why this time especially? Like death, beloved, she hath all seasons for her own.

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THE POOR PEOPLE of Italy are taxed to death by both the church and the state. They have risen in behalf of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

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WEYLER says Spain should take the offensive. "Make an effort," said the officious nurse to Mrs. Dombey; and she repeated the words five minutes after the poor lady was dead.

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"IT IS NO CREDIT to America to be able to whip Spain," says a contemporary. Yes, but see here! it is no credit to Spain to be able to starve half a million helpless men, women and children.

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OUR SPANISH CRITICS speak of us as shop-keepers, toads and pigs. It doesn't occur to them that we cannot possibly be all these things at one and the same time, the unthinking reprobates!

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"THE BEST AGE of art production is the future," says Mr. Ormiston Chant. The best age of anything is the future, because we don't live in it and can therefore imagine so much that is impossible.

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"AUTONOMY OF CONSCIENCE" is pleaded for by Dr. Funk's *Voice*. We suspect the doctor wants autonomy of his own conscience and a dictatorship with regard to the conscience of everybody else.

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THE WOMEN of the south have only smiles for the men in blue who pass through their towns on their way to the war. Ah, yes! That civil war is over. It was quite different between 'sixty-one and 'sixty-five.

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STATEN ISLAND will go to war against the mosquitoes by giving every pond and swamp a coat of kerosene and spraying every meadow with the same. Having done that, how shall the island be relieved of the kerosene?

HER FULL PERMISSION.

HE—"I shall die if you refuse me. Oh, tell me that I may speak to your father!"
SHE—"Oh, well, you may, then; and tell him how I'm getting on and all about me. He died year before last, you know."

THE FACTS IN THE CASE.

A WOMAN calls herself the Joan of Arc of the labor movement, but she is more widely known as Mother Jones. Joan wanted to be the mother of her country, but she was guilty of no fragmentary and inconsequential reproduction.

FAIR PLAY FOR THE PRINCES.

LET US at least hope that the fame of the father of Fred Grant will not prove a detriment to the ambition of the young man. After all, sons of famous men have some rights which the world is bound to respect. Let us reflect that these men could not select the surroundings of their birthplaces, any more than they could select their fathers and mothers.

"LEST WE FORGET."

"AUSTRIA CAN NEVER forget the fate of Maximilian," said a speech-maker at a Blanco banquet. It will be wise to bear it in mind. The memory of it may prevent further misfortunes of that kind. There is enough of Europe for Europeans to trot around in without trying to fill space on these continents. And if Louis Napoleon were alive he would say so, too.

A GOVERNMENT TO FIGHT FOR.

THE SOLDIERS of to-day have the assurance, in the cherished memory of the soldiers of nearly forty years ago, that, living or dying in the service of the United States, they will not be forgotten and they and their descendants will not be permitted to starve. This government asks for sacrifice, but its memory is long and its gratitude goes to and beyond the graves of those who win it.

THE BRAVERY OF DEGRADATION.

THE COURAGE OF COWARDICE is demonstrated in the cases of several young men of the national guard who, rather than go to war, submitted to be drummed out of camp, to be kicked, cuffed, egged, floured, and otherwise maltreated and humiliated. Was there ever before such amazing courage as that? And is it possible that it will not be followed by the courage of suicide in every instance?

OUR FIGHTING TEDDY.

THE PROPOSITION to make Colonel Roosevelt lieutenant-governor of this state goes on to anticipate the election of Black as United States senator, leaving the chief office of the state in the hands of the rough-rider. Things might easily go worse; but there is a prospect of a rather longer war with the Spanish than was at first anticipated, and as long as there is fighting to be done there will be no tame civil life for our fighting Theodore.

SOME CRIPPLED MATHEMATICS.

THE BOY KING of Spain reached his twelfth birthday recently, and the New York *Journal* on different pages made him out to be twelve, thirteen and fourteen years old, and further returns expected from the baptismal document. Among the privileges of kings, therefore, is the right to have at least three birthdays on one occasion; but in the end the poor boy will probably regret that he ever had more than the one conceded to the lowliest babe, if he doesn't regret that he was given that.

OUR BEST COUSINS.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN, secretary for the colonies of Great Britain, proclaims openly that an alliance with the United States is greatly to be desired. The thought is gratifying to every citizen of this country. The sympathy of England with us in this Spanish emergency may be a result of political self-interest, but it is valuable nevertheless and may save us a war with some of the other powers. But a formal alliance would be in opposition to all of our previous international politics and would oblige us to accept very dangerous foreign responsibilities.

STUCK.

MISS WHEELSTRUCK (*reading*)—" They've just got out a new bicycle built for ten."
MISS SCORCHERR (*with a gasp*)—" Oh, gracious! That's just my luck. I paid fifteen for mine and thought it was a bargain."

NOT INNATE.

SELF-CONCEIT in a married man is an enforced characteristic. After he and the woman of his choice are made the same as one it necessarily follows that he is in love with himself.

TWO VIEWS.

Mrs. Shapprone (on the veranda)—" There they go again, Mrs. Meeker and that handsome young van Dodge."

Mabel—" Yes; every evening it's the same. Isn't it scandalous?"

Ethel—" I should think her husband"——

Mrs. Shapprone—" My dear, a husband could have very little influence over a woman of that sort."

Maud—" I thought she was a very nice person at first."

Lily—" She was, till he came. She scarcely looked at a man."

Mrs. Shapprone—" There wasn't any to look at."

Ida—"And now she absorbs him—just see how he bends over her. Isn't it a shame?" (*Depressed silence.*)

Mrs. Meeker (on the sands)—" But really, you ought to stay with the young ladies. It's a shame."

Van Dodge (pleadingly)—" Oh, don't send me away—please don't!"

Mrs. Meeker—" But I must seem so selfish to monopolize you, when there are so few other gentlemen."

Van Dodge (eagerly)—" That's just it. Think of my position."

Mrs. Meeker—" Your position?"

Van Dodge—" Ten girls, and I'm the one unmarried man."

M. S. BRIDGES.

AND HERE ARE A FEW OTHER REASONS.

FEDERAL DISCRIMINATION.

Reuben Restanrust—" The more I think on the matter, the more I think that in this country things is goin' in favor of the rich. I tell you, the farmers don't stand no show any more."

Samuel Sitanwhittle—" That's purty straight. Them mernoperlists have their government bonds that draw interest day in and day out, and we hain't so much as had a decent shower fer our crops fer over three months."

HER IDEA.

"I UNDERSTAND, madam, that you have a very old clock in your sitting-room?" tentatively said a well-dressed stranger who had knocked at the door of a farm-house away back in the Allegash hills. "May I look at it? I am an antiquarian, and"——

"I want to know!" ejaculated Mrs. Juckles, in surprise. "Why, I should never have taken you to be that old—you don't look a day over forty."

HER DISCOVERY.

"WHEE-E-E!" said Margie, who had found a china nest-egg, "here's one zat was laid hard-boiled."

JUDGE'S FAVORITES.

LIZZIE MAC NICHOL IN CASTLE SQUARE OPERA CO.

From far afield, from pastures new,
Dear Lizzie, I return to you;
Because, though others may be fair,
Your tout ensemble is not there.
Of just your sort one finds not many—
In fact, I doubt if there be any.

SUBURBAN.

THE rain is softly falling
And splashing on my toes;
It from my hat-brim ripples,
And trickles off my nose.

No stiff-ribbed big umbrella
Against the storm I spread,
While to the railway-station
With dogged step I tread.

The reason no umbrella
Above me is displayed—
To lug the homing bundles
These horny hands were made.

R. K. MUNKITTRICK.

A TEDIOUS JOB.

IT WAS the first time Nan had seen any one husking corn.

"Do you have to undress every single ear?" she asked soberly.

AN IMMUNE.

THE chief of the rack department and the superintendent of the inquisition were baffled. The victim had now been on the rack six hours, and was pleasantly springing all kinds of sacrilegious gags on the rack attendants. The authorities were nonplussed. Any greater strain would break the rack. Would the culprit never recant?

Ha! he is about to speak again. Will it be a recantation, or another joke on the Jersey mosquito?

The victim opens his mouth, and every ear lends attention.

"If these blamed mudsills," he mutters to himself, "knew that for five years I have ridden twice a day from Harlem down to Broad street, hanging on to the straps on the elevated, they'd use this old rack for a garden-gate and try moral suasion."

A CONSOLING SPIRIT.

FRIEND (*with emotion*)—"Well, 'Arry, me brave fellow, good-bye, and take care of yoahself. I'll send you the New York extras every day, so as to keep you posted on the war, doncherknow."

MIGHT FALL DOWN.

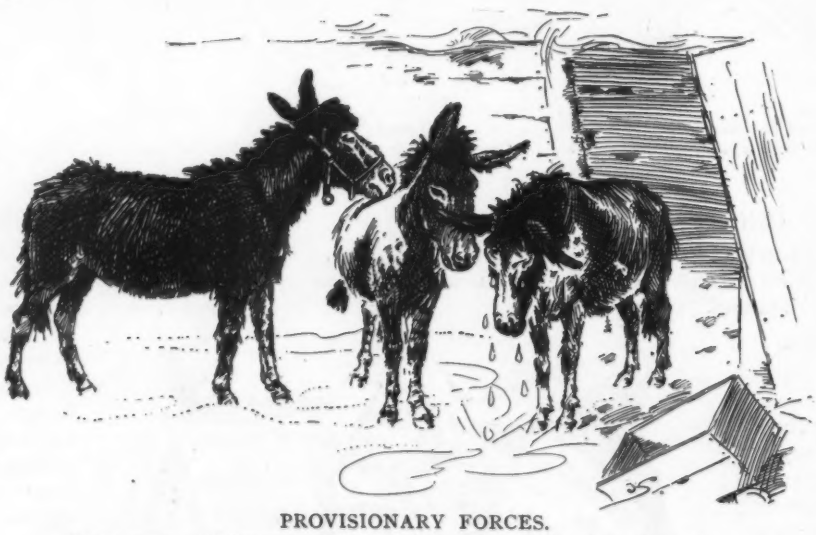
MR. NEWCOMB had put up a temporary board fence around a pear-tree to keep the cattle from eating the leaves off the lower branches.

"You'd better not lean up against it," said Willie to his little friend one afternoon; "it's only just basted."

A QUERY.

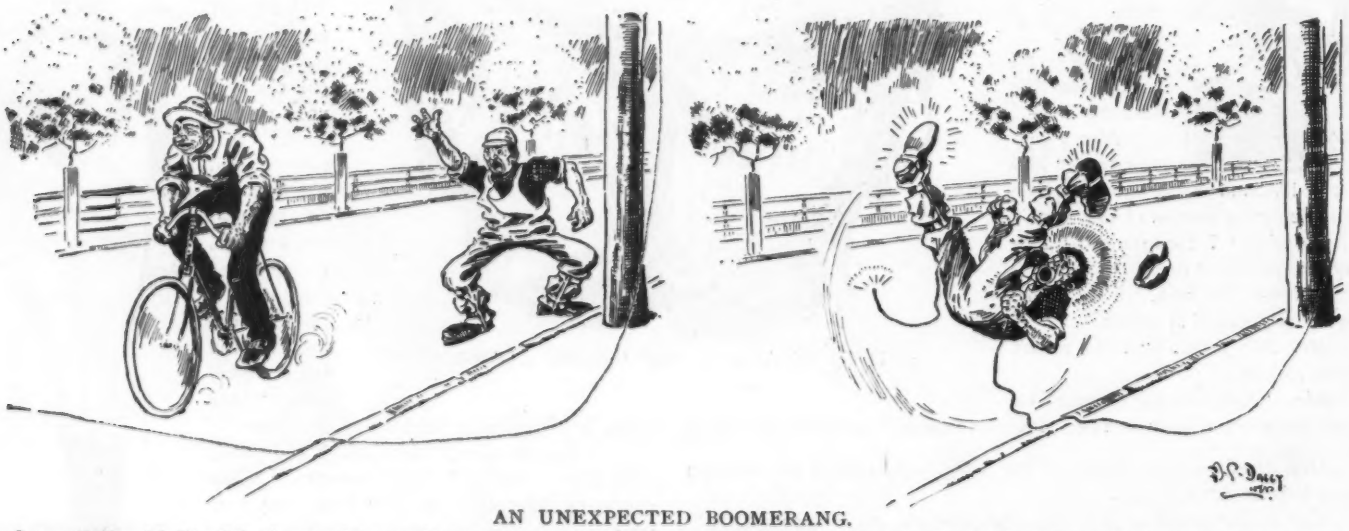
Saunders—"If we annex Cuba will the Cuban women adopt American styles of dress?"

Landers—"Perhaps not; they may wear Havana wrappers."



PROVISIONARY FORCES.

FIRST MULE—"Why weepest thou—bad news from Cuba of our forces?"
SECOND MULE—"Yep; they say we are being cut to pieces at Havana, in steak lengths."



AN UNEXPECTED BOOMERANG.

LINEMAN (*horrifiedly*)—"Look out, mister; you're runnin' over a live wire."
BYKER (*to himself*)—"Bah! he seems to forget my rubber tires are non-conductors." (*Passes over safely.*)
LINEMAN—"Gee! de wire hain't charged wid electricity after all. I'll just drag it out of de road an'"—— (*For funeral notice see daily papers.*)

SMALL FAVORS GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.

THE PARSON—"Stiddy now, sistah—stiddy! Yo' will come up whitah dan snow."
THE PENITENT—"Oh, I's afeerd dat's askin' toe much. Er cream-colah will do."

HONOR FOR THE RECONCENTRADOS.

"HAD it not been for American intervention," observed General Blanco, "in another month Cuba would have been completely pacified. Then Spain would have shown to the world her magnanimity in doing all within her power for her previously rebellious subjects."

"Yes, a mighty nation can afford to be generous. What was the government intending to do to heal the wounds of war?"

"It was the intention to place a fairly respectable tombstone over the body of each of the former inhabitants of Cuba."

DOOM OF THE WEST.

Harriman Hattan—"Well, Chicago is preparing for the census of 1900."

Richmond Burrough—"What are they doing—urging all citizens to lead double lives in order to make them count as two?"

Harriman Hattan—"I don't know as to that; but they are talking of doing away entirely with city limits."

DESTRUCTION'S HIERARCHY.

Smith—"I am working on an invention that will make the United States the greatest naval power in the world. What do you suppose it is?"

Jones—"A torpedo-boat?"

Smith—"No; not exactly."

Jones—"A torpedo-boat destroyer?"

Smith—"Not quite; but you are getting nearer to it."

Jones—"A destroyer of a torpedo-boat destroyer?"

Smith—"No; that's already invented."

Jones—"Oh, it is the destroyer of the destroyer of a torpedo-boat destroyer."

Smith—"No; it isn't."

Jones—"What in thunder is it, then?"

Smith—"Well, it's ahead of anything yet conceived of. It is a destroyer of the last thing you named."

ONLY PARTIAL INFORMATION.

LITTLE Johnny lately lost his mother and since has been much interested in the spirit world. He went to church not long since and listened intently to a scripture-reading from the book of Revelation. Reaching home, he astonished his father with the question, "Papa, who else is in heaven besides the beast, the four and twenty elders and mamma?"

ITS INTENTION.

"PAPA, what is a sweeping assertion?"

"A statement, my son, that fills our opponent's eyes with dust."

OUR MARINE BLUE BLOOD.

Warwick—"The war is causing great uneasiness in the wealthy circles of the country."

Wickwire—"It is? How so?"

Warwick—"Why, there has been a report that the moneyed aristocracy composed of the crews of the vessels that captured Spanish prize-ships intends to move on such exclusive lines as will preclude any intercourse with our former wealthy classes."

MANY the man's dome of thought is under some other fellow's hat.

SYMPATHETIC ILLNESS.

DOCTOR—"Your wife is on the verge of collapse and in a very distracted frame of mind. Do you know what has caused it?"

WHEELER—"Well, she has been trying for two weeks to decide whether to paint her bicycle-frame pink or yellow. I guess her frame of mind is in sympathy with her bicycle."

KNEW BETTER.

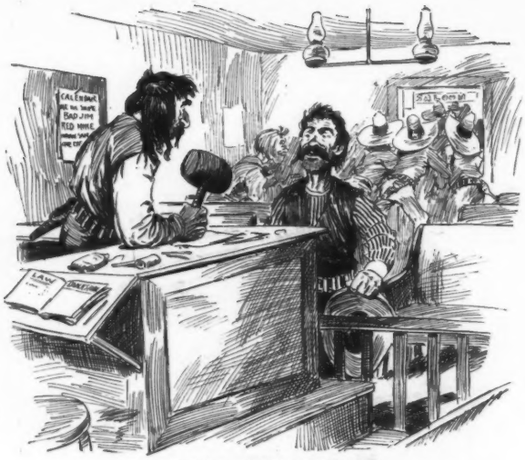
SHE sits before me at the theatre,
And I can't see the actors, just for her.
Shall I lose all my pleasure but for that,
Or shall I beg her to take off her hat?
Alas! I dare not, no, upon my life,
Because that thoughtless woman is my wife.

PROVED HIMSELF A TRUE AMERICAN.

"HA!" HOWLED the mob, "here's a Spanish sympathizer. Up with him! He says Spain is invincible on the sea." "Ah, no, no, no!" chattered the victim. "I said invisible."

FROM AN EXPERIENCED OBSERVER.

"THIS job of mine is steady, and all that, but it can't be called a snap," remarked Sisyphus as he braced himself and gave the stone another shove. "But"—he drew a long breath and actually smiled for the first time in many millennia—"I'd rather work at it until the Styx freezes over than to be that man Sagasta, trying to push Spain along through war without money."



A LEGAL BUNG-STARTER.

JUDGE BRIARS—"See hyar, Rubberneck Rube; how dare yer come inter this co't so unceremonious-like an' interrup' proceedin's?"

RUBBERNECK RUBE—"Parding, jedge; but yer friend, ther proprietor of ther Red Dog booze-parlors, 'lowed thet you mought loan him yer gavel. He wants ter use it ter open a keg o' lager fer a tenderfoot w'ot's treatin' everybody."

JUDGE BRIARS—"Sartin, Rube; an' this co't 's adjourned an hour." (*General exit.*)

FORCIBLE TEACHING.

BILL BUTCHER called to see a friend and was admitted by a pert, disobliging maid. In telling his friend of the disrespect with which he had been treated Bill worked himself up into a towering rage and concluded his complaint with, "Next time I come to this house, if she behaves that way, I'll smash her face; that'll teach her to recognize a gentleman when she sees one."

A DOUBLE MEANING.

EASY THINGG—"W'ot would youse do to a feller if he should insinuate dat youse wuz once behind de bars?"
ROARING RABBIT—"Wa-al, dat would depend. If he meant ter insinuate dat I ever rode a bicycle I'd knock him down."

RIGORS OF THE LYCEUM.

"WHY don't you go to the north pole if you are so confident of your ability to get there?"

"Well, the truth of the matter is that I'm too diffident to go on the lecture-platform."

WOMEN like animals for pets—especially men.

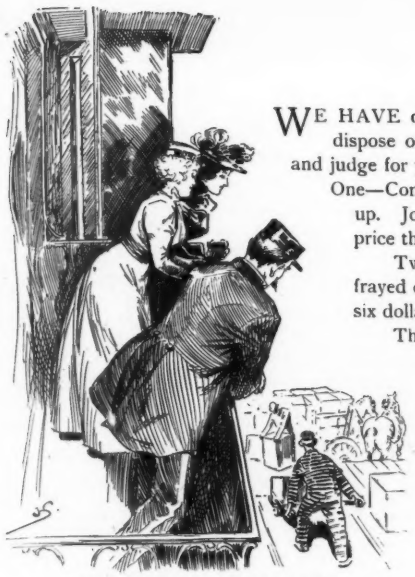
WHAT PEOPLE *INTEND* TO SAY, AND WHAT THEY *DO* SAY.

"Now what do you think of that? Just laid down for a quiet Sunday nap and along comes a brat of a newsboy with war extras, howling like an Indian. I'll go right down and tell him if he doesn't shut up I'll break every bone in his body."

"Say, you young rascal! what do you mean by—— What's that—another sea-fight? Here's a dime; keep change. (*To himself.*) I tell you those little beggars earn every cent they get. A fellow can't help feeling sorry for them."

"Can I believe my eyes? It is! Oh, John! Bridget is just coming from church, and she has on a new dress made exactly like mine—the same goods too. I'm completely disgusted. Everything she gets is like mine. I'll go this minute and tell her to get out of my house and stay out."

"Bridget, I notice you have on a new dress. I must say it looks quite well on you. I never saw you look better. I came down to tell you we will have dinner a little earlier, as we want to drive out."



BLISSFULLY IGNORANT.

KEEPER (*at Sing Sing*)—"That convict is a 'trusty.' We can trust him at any kind of outside work and he won't try to run away."

VISITOR—"Dear me! isn't that funny?"

KEEPER—"Oh, no. His wife has got a divorce, but he doesn't know it."

WAR-GAGS.

WE HAVE on hand a select assortment of war-gags, which we are willing to dispose of at ridiculously low figures. Read over the following catalogue and judge for yourselves:

One—Congressional library was shut up for fear the magazines would blow up. Joke—screamingly funny. Original price twenty-five dollars. Our price three cents.

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Four—Fleet of Spanish mackerel coming up the bay. Transcendentally idiotic. Rather dilapidated. Others charge bayonets. Our price steen cents.

Five—Caught a Spanish spy in the Continental hotel in the act of blowing up the speaking-tube. Awfully exhilarating. With gilt top and deckeledge cover. Original price thirty-six dollars. Our price fifteen cents.

Six—Cantharides, or Spanish-fly witticisms, in select lots and tract form. For gratuitous distribution.

Seven—Chinese steamer chased American cruiser to get in its wash. Quite new. Only one more copy left. "No tickee no shirtee" design on cover. Publishers' price seventeen dollars. Our price same.

Eight—The Spanish navy is at Cadiz—is at Cape Verde—is at Porto Rico—is coming—was last seen off Newfoundland—is chasing itself around Cape Horn. Exquisitely eccentric—the best joke of the season. Entirely new. Just out. Original price only ten dollars. Ten per cent. and five per cent. off for spot cash.

HARVEY REESE.

CONDITIONS NOT AXE-CEPTED.

LIVESBY LABORNIT—"Madam, necesserty compels me ter ax yer fer somethin' ter eat."

MRS. PUNLY—"Axe the wood-pile first."

EXCEEDINGLY BRACING.

Invalid (from the effete east)—"You say that if a man drinks plenty of the water here in Limestone Gulch he will treble in weight in a month. That seems like a miracle. How does the water accomplish such wonderful results?"

Nevada Ned—"It petrifies 'em."

THAT STINGING TINGLE.

"THE ear is the only organ of hearing, Willie."

"Huh! I hit a stone with a split stick yesterday and I heard it strike with my fingers."

POETIC JOY.

BLOSSOMS round the dove-cote
Flutter all the day;
King-cups by the stone wall
Light the grassy way.

Daisies in the green mead
Flash their silver stars.
See the dandelions' gold
Round the pasture-bars.

Bees around the rose-bush
Drift in wanton glee,
And the snowy cloud-ships
Dimple o'er the lea.

And the poet murmurs,
Standing on his head,
"The goat holds the mug aloft,
And Pan 's not dead."

R. K. MUNKITTRICK.

A HEARTLESS CHILD.

MAMMA—"Willie, hush up! I told you I couldn't carry you. The idea! Do you want your mamma to get her new bicycle-tires muddy? Shame on you!"

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WE MUST FINISH THE N

UNCLE SAM—"I'll have to cut that canal! See how easy I could relieve Dew

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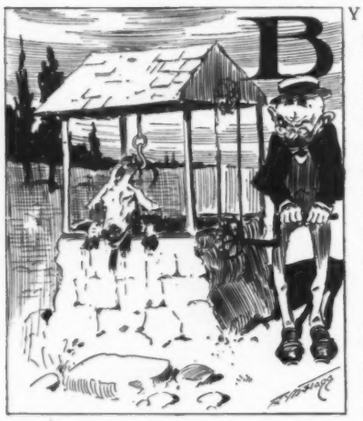
H THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

ould relieve Dewey and protect our coast. No more 'Oregon business' for me."

JUDGE'S FABLES.

THE ACROBATIC GOAT.



BY UNLUCKY fortune a goat fell into a deep well from which he could not clamber out, try as oft as he would. At last a hopeful plan entered his thick skull. "I know what I'll do," he said. "Luckily the rope and bucket are down here for me to cling to, for soon some thirsty soul will come this way, and when he draws up the bucket full of water I will cling on to the rope and ascend to safety." He had hardly ended when he heard some one above at the windlass, and at that moment he clasped the ascending bucket, regardless of the drenching he got in the effort. Slowly he began to rise, and was about to congratulate himself upon his easy escape when he heard an imprecation. "Confound it!" cried the man at the windlass, "I'm not that thirsty that I shall strain my back lifting this heavy bucket for a mere drink," and stepping one side he allowed the bucket of water and its incubus to crash back down into the chilly water. "I fear I'm in for it," groaned the goat, and was about to resign himself to despair, when a new and better idea dawned upon him. "Good," he snorted; "'tis the only way — I must take the place of the bucket and reduce the lift to the next thirsty person that comes here to succor me." So, by a little dalliance with the bucket he had soon unloosed it and inserted his horn in the hook that held it. Again he heard some one above at the windlass, and as he felt himself being drawn up he did further facilitate his ascension by shrewd and doughty clamberings on the well sides. Soon his head appeared above the level and he was free, much to the astonishment of his rescuer.

Moral — When you get in a hole and others try to get you out, lighten their labors, lest perforce they drop you.

W. R. COOK.

"Good boy! That'll bring 'em in."

AT THE ART-MUSEUM.

AUNT JANE—"That is the temptation of Saint Anthony. Ain't it terrible?"
UNCLE JABEZ—"Yes—terrible realistic. Yer can almost hear her sayin' she hain't got a thing fit ter wear, an' him bein' tempted ter swear."

WHEN I WENT A-WOOING.

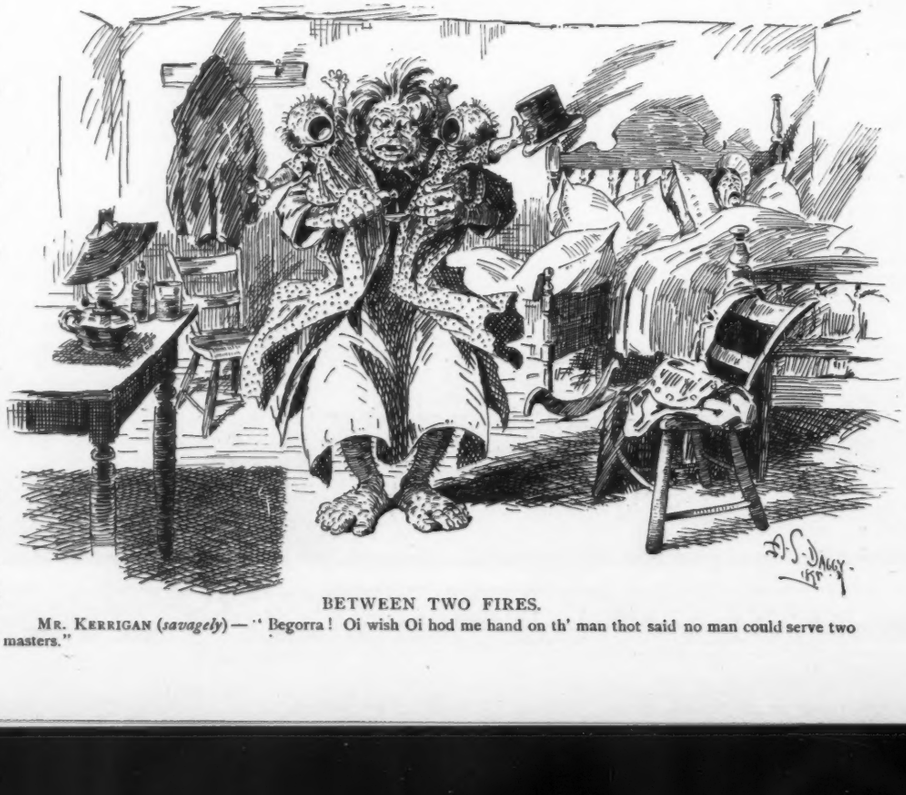
I LOVED an American maiden—oh, yes!
A Baltimore girl, whose life was a whirl
Of soirées and functions and social success.
I asked for the heart of this frivolous maid,
Who led me a song and dance.
Oh! I really was hit, but she answered me
"Nit!"
And I left her that night for France.

I next fell in love with my pretty Souzanne,
The frou-frou light of her petticoats white,
And the ravishing face peeping out from her fan.
I wooed her by every endearing device,
As only a lover can;
I was hopelessly gone, but she answered me
"Non,"
Did my little Mam'zelle Souzanne.

Now Hilda I thought in all Holland most fair.
Wooden bootlets she wore and a white pinafore,
And little Dutch caps on her soft yellow hair.
I longed for the heart of this lovable maid;
Her little Dutch heart so gay.
But she didn't want mine, for she answered me "Nein."
In her own little sweet Dutch way.

I left her, resolving the one who'd agree,
Whether young or antique, I would wed out of pique.
When lo! a small maiden came tripping towards me.
Her cheeks were as red as the clover in bloom.
I kissed them and said, "Love, come;
You're the sweetheart I'll wed!" and she nodded her head.
Oh! I found she was deaf and dumb.

RENA CARY HUNT.



BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

MR. KERRIGAN (*savagely*) — "Begorra! Oi wish Oi hod me hand on th' man thot said no man could serve two masters."

Cæsar came and saw and conquered.
A warrior had he chanced to be
Of modern times he still might conquer,
Yet neither come nor see.
—*Detroit Journal.*

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"Mrs. Lowdiet," meekly muttered the hitherto patient boarder, "I can stand hash every day without a murmur; but when you put raisins in it and call it mince-pie I draw the line."—*Bangor News.*

Though "all things come to him that waits,"
It happens oft that he
Has ceased to want them long before
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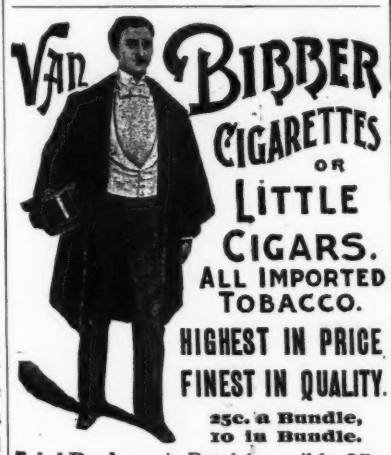

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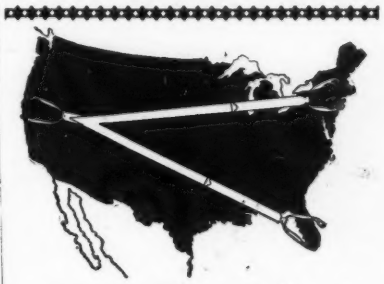
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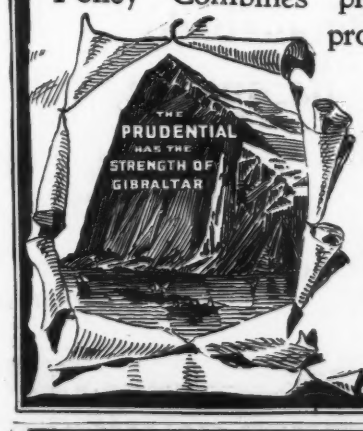

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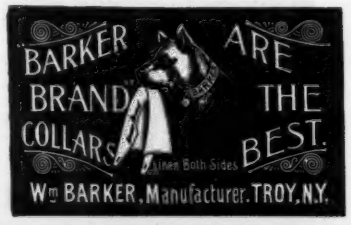

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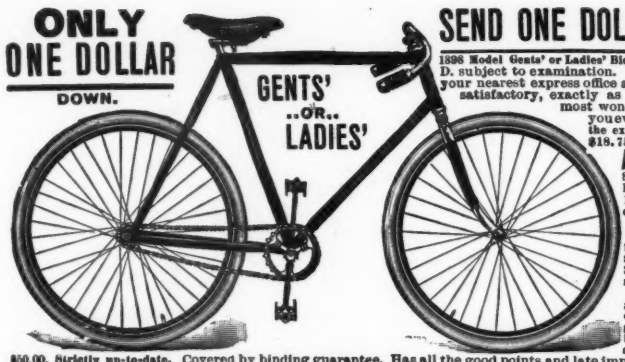

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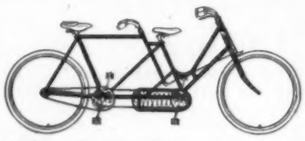

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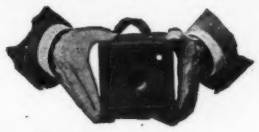

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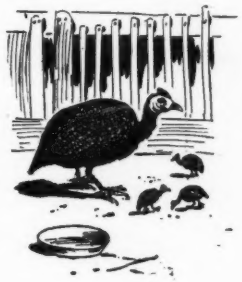

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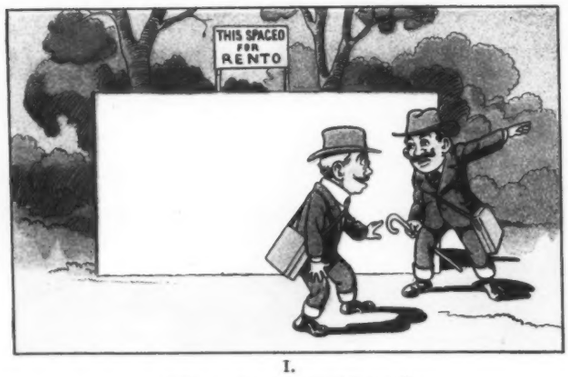

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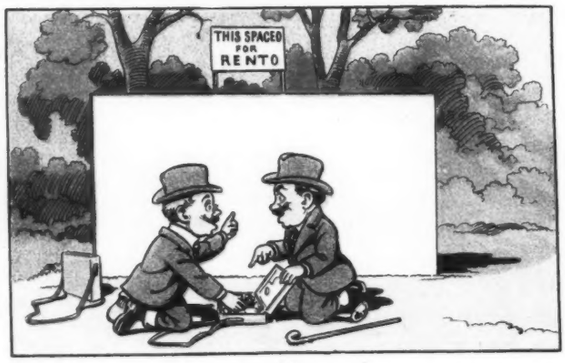
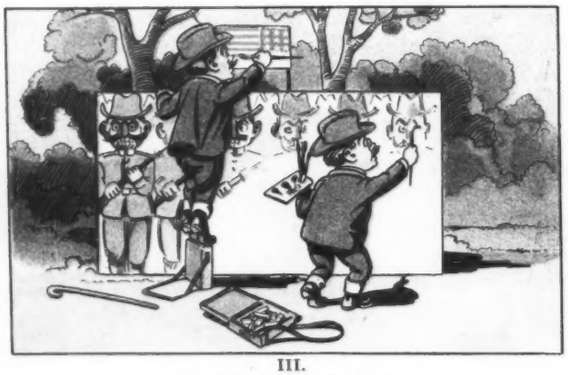
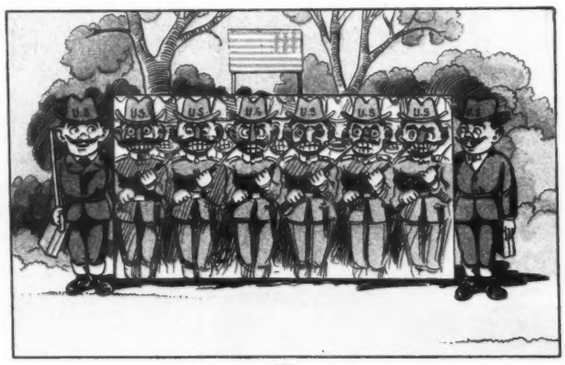
" Hello ! there's a Spanish fort !"



II.
" An idea ! We can paint a regiment of soldiers on this board——



III.
——and then see if we can't capture it."



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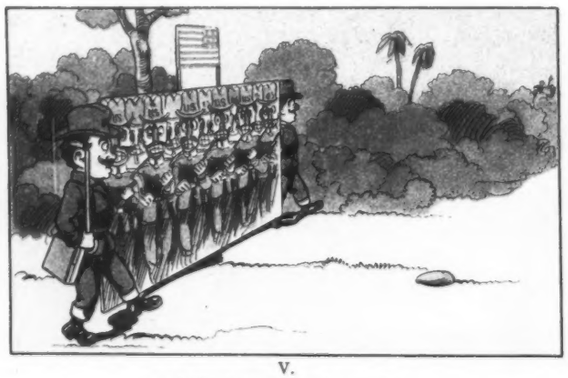
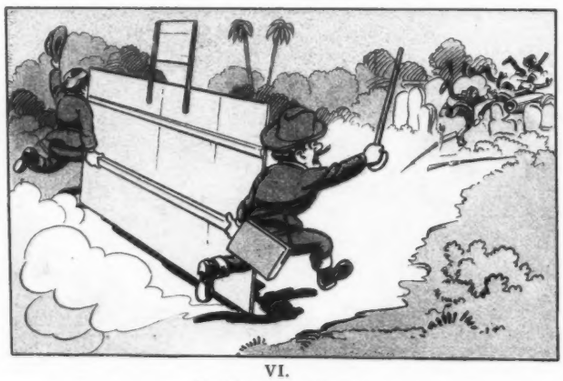
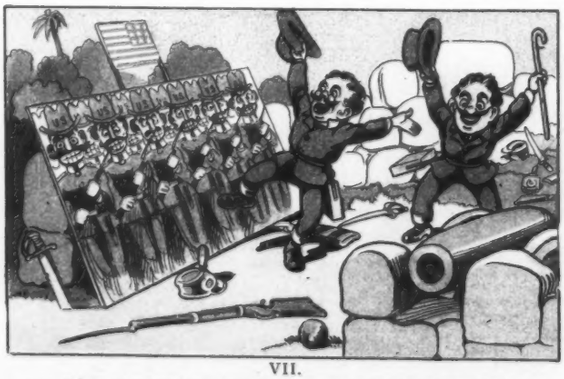
" Company ! attention !——



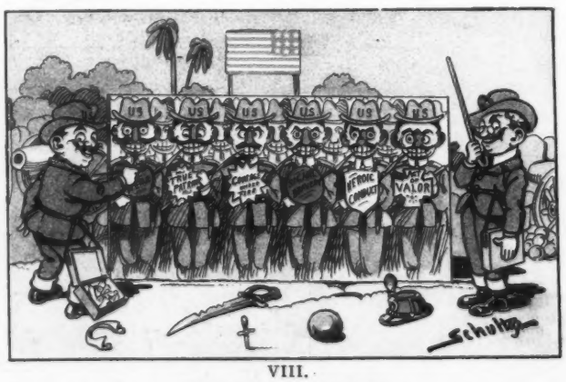
V.
——Left wheel—forward—march !——



VI.
——Double quick—charge !——



VII.
——Company ! break ranks—hurrah ! Three cheers for Old Glory !"



VIII.
Honor to whom honor is due.

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